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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 3036/50289

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: ACCESS AUTHENTICATION SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

- 1. Specification, including 10 claims (pages 1-14).
- 2. 2 Sheets of drawings showing Figs. 1 and 2.
- X Declaration and Power of Attorney (executed/2 pages).
- 4. Assignment of the invention to Roke Manor Research Limited.
- 5. Certified copy of Priority Document <u>0023270.2</u> filed in <u>Great Britain</u> on <u>22 September 2000</u>, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
- 6. X Preliminary Amendment.
- 7. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below after entry of Preliminary Amendment:

Basic Fee							\$355/710		•
Total Claims	9	-	20	=	0	x	\$9/18	=	\$
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Multiple Dependent	Claim	Pre	esent	ed		•	\$135/270	=	\$
Total Filing Fee									\$710.00

Two checks in the amount of \$ 710.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the assignment recording fee are enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #3036/50289). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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